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IN RE APPLICATION OF :

Masayuki NAKAMOTO

: GROUP ART UNIT: 2879

SERIAL NO: 09/987,862

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: EXAMINER: KARABI GUHARAY

FOR: FIELD EMISSION COLD
CATHODE DEVICE OF
LATERAL TYPE

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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 21, 2003, Applicant elects
Group I, Claims 1-17, drawn to a field emission cold cathode device in class 313, subclass
495.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-17 is believed to be in order, and
an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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